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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No. 030048041US First Inventor Michael S. Foster USING VIRTUAL IDENTIFIERS TO PROCESS RECEIVED DATA ROUTED THROUGH A NETWORK

Express Mail Label No. EL669110996US (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)) **Box Patent Application** APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: Commissioner for Patents See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Washington, DC 20231 1. 🛛 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) 7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) 2. Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) 3. Specification [Total Pages a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) (preferred arrangement set forth below) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: - Descriptive title of the Invention i CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or - Cross Reference to Related Applications ii. 🗌 paper - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D c. Statements verifying identity of above copies - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS** - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention 9. 🛛 Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) 10. 🛛 37 C.F.R.§3 73(b) Statement 🛛 Power of - Detailed Description (when there is an assignee) Attorney Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) 4. Copies of IDS Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) 12. Information Disclosure Total Sheets 8 Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages | 3 13. Preliminary Amendment a. Newly executed (original or copy) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. 🛛 b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (Should be specifically itemized) (for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) 15. 🔲 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) (if foreign priority is claimed) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 16. 🛛 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). or its equivalent. 6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 17. 🔲 Other: 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: □ Continuation ☐ Divisional of prior application No. \_\_\_ ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) Prior application information: Examiner Group / Art Unit: \_ For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. ☑ Claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/287,069 wad ofters 17. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Correspondence address below □ Customer Number or Bar Code Label 25096 PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE Name (Print/Type) Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 43,985 James A.D. White October 26, 2001 Signature Date

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Title

USING VIRTUAL IDENTIFIERS TO PROCESS RECEIVED

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